GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Panchayaths- Constitution of Monitoring Committees at State level for Model Accounting System [MAS] and PRIA Soft – Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (PTS.III) DEPARTMENT G.O.Ms.No. 38

Dated.02-02-2013
Read the following:

- 1. From the Jt.Secry, MOPR, GOI Lr.No. 19011/54/2011-P&J, dt. 26.08.2011,
- 2. From the Commissioner, P.R.&R.E., Lr.No.2346/CPR&RE/AC-II[1]/2012, dt.27.12.12.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above the Government of India have requested all States to constitute Monitoring Committees at State Level to resolve issues related to Model Accounting System for Panchayats [MAS] and PRIA Soft and the Model Accounting System is mandatory for the States to become eligible for receiving Performance Grants of the 13th Finance Commission grants for Local Bodies. The Minister of Panchayat Raj has already launched PRIA Soft that captures details of receipts and expenditure based on vouchers and generates cash books, reports, registers and MIS etc. In order to adopt PRIA Soft, the Minister of Panchayat Raj plans to bring out a Panchayat Accounts Manual and a Trainning Manual on Model Accounting System /PRIA Soft and also requested the States to constitute Model Accounting System Committees at the Central and State Government Levels to ensure expeditious implementation of Model Accounting System /PRIA Soft, to resolve queries of the implementing Entities/Authorities and other related matters like composition of Central Model Accounting System Committee [CMC]. The Minister of Panchayat Raj has also suggested a list of officers who are to be included in the Committee. The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment, vide ref.2nd read above has requested the Government to issue orders for constitution of the State Model Committee [SMC] as Accounting System suggested Government of India.

2. Accordingly, the Government, after due consideration of the matter, hereby constitute the "State Model Accounting System Committee [SMC]" with the following officers:

| a)Prl.Secretary/ Secretary PR Dept | Chairman |
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| b)Accountant General in charge | |
| Local bodies | Member |
| c)Representative of Finance Dept | Member |
| d)Director of Local Fund Audit | Member |
| e)Controller, State Accounts | Member |
| f)State Informatics Officer, NIC | Member |
| g)Representative of UD Department | Member |
| h)Experts co – opted by SMC | Member |
| i)State e-panchayat consultant | Member |
| j)State Nodal Officer of MAS/PRIA Soft | Member |
| (Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment, Hyd.) | |

3. The Commissioner of Panchayat Raj and Rural Employment, A.P. Hyderabad & State Nodal Officer of Model Accounting System /PRIA Soft shall act as Member- Secretary of the Committee.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

V.NAGI REDDY PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT(P.R.)

To,

- 1) The Commissioner of Panchayat Raj and Rural Employment, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
- 2) All Members of the Committee.
- 3) All Officers in the Department.
- 4) All Sections in the Department.
- 5) **Copy to**:
- 6) The Joint Secretary to Government of India. (Through covering letter)
- 7) The P.S to Minister for Panchayat Raj and Rural Water Supply.
- 8) The P.S. to Principal Secretary to Government (P.R.)
- 9) Sf/Sc-10

//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER.